In the Claims:

Please amend Claim 1. The changes in these Claims are shown with ~~strikethrough~~ for deleted matter and underlines for added matter. A complete listing of the claims, with proper claim identifiers, is set forth below.

1. (Currently Amended) A ~~flame resistant~~ union fabric ~~which is flame resistant to an extent sufficient to pass France's Class M1 in the NF-P 92-503 Combustion Test,~~ obtained by co-weaving:

(A) a fiber yarn ~~30% to 70%~~ that has, as a principal component, a halogen-containing flame resistant fiber including an antimony compound 25 parts to 50 parts in an acrylic based copolymer 100 parts consisting of acrylonitrile 30% to 70% by weight, a halogen-containing vinyl based monomer 30% to 70% by weight, and a vinyl based monomer copolymerizable therewith 0% to 10% by weight; and

(B) a compound yarn ~~70% to 30%~~ consisting of a cellulosic fiber (b-1) and a fiber melting at temperatures of 200 degrees C to 400 degrees C (b-2);

said fiber yarn comprising 30% to 70% by weight of the union fabric and said compound yarn comprising 70% to 30% by weight of the union fabric wherein the total weight of the fabric is 100%;

said co-woven fabric being flame resistant to an extent sufficient to pass France's Class M1 in the NF-P 92-503 Combustion Test.

2. (Original) The flame resistant union fabric according to Claim 1, wherein the cellulosic fiber (b-1) is at least one kind selected from a group consisting of cotton, hemp, rayon, polynosic, cupra, acetate, and triacetate.